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Left to Die Project

**Directions:**

While reading this book, you learned about two men who successfully climbed a very dangerous mountain in Peru. Now that you have heard their story, search the Internet for another dangerous mountain and a similar story of survival (HINT: If you don’t know where to start, consider researching K2, Mt. Everest, and Mt. Kilimanjaro). Once you found a story that interests you, you will write a new version of Left to Die.

Purpose and Audience:

The purpose of the story is to share a new story about survival.

The audience will be your classmates and teachers.

**What to research:**

The story should include information about:

* The mountain
  + Its name and location
  + How many people climb it per year?
  + What is the elevation at the summit?
  + What makes it so dangerous?
* The person/people who was/were left to die
  + Explain his/her/their journey to the top
    - Was the journey successful?

**What NOT to do:**

In order to be successful while completing this project, students should:

* NOT plagiarize from the Internet!
  + This should be in your own words!
* NOT share their work with a friend.

\*\*This project will be made using Microsoft Publisher. To get a book template, go to **File**, **New**, and click on **Program**. Scroll down to where it says **Blank Sizes,** and select **Letter Booklet 8.5x11** in either portrait or landscape.

\*\*This assignment MUST be turned in via Edmodo.